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LATEST WAR NEWS FROM THE BELGIAN BATTLE FRONT STRATHMORE VOLUNTEERS LEAVE

Special to the Standard

August 18, 5:30 p.m.—Russian and French armies enter Germany. Allied forces moving to the attack in large numbers. Eastern frontier of Germany swarming with Russians, French entering from Alsace. British thought to be barring the German advance through Belgium. Sir John French has left for the front. Reports from Brussels say German attack is weakening.

Losses on Russian frontier described as very heavy, but Russian advance steadily maintained.

London War Office press bureau reports no casualties have as yet occurred in British army which consists of 72 infantry battalions, 18 cavalry regiments, 144 horses and 324 field guns.

During the week Belgium has been the storm centre in the European conflagration. The gallant Belgian defenders at Liege are still holding out against an enormous German host. The Germans are reported to be within fifteen miles of Brussels, which is the capital of Belgium and in the centre of the Province, but the resistance of the Belgians has made it necessary for the Kaiser's army to spend two weeks to get this distance. Meanwhile, large French and British forces have been poured into Belgium, and a great battle is expected to take place there within the next week.

On account of the large number of men engaged, the threat of the battle front, 200 miles, will take some time to determine with which side victory lies. The French are making progress in Alsace, and have advanced a considerable distance into that German province.

Russian troops are massed on Germany's eastern border, and heavy fighting can be expected there shortly. Skirmishing has already begun.

Britain has established a strict censorship on all naval and military movements, and newspapers in Britain publishing anything but news sent out by the official bureau are liable to suspension. The Navy have the Germans blockaded in their home ports, and

British mercantile shipping is pursuing its usual course unimpeded. German shipping is completely paralysed. A considerable number of British warships are patrolling the Atlantic for the protection of shipping. Two German cruisers in the Mediterranean, closely pursued by British and French vessels sought refuge in the Dardanelles, and have been interned there. Turkey wishes to purchase them, but several of the great powers objected.

Four Austrian warships were sunk by the French fleet off the coast of Montenegro. Britain has landed three army corps in France. Canada's first contingent of 25,000 men for foreign service are mobilizing at Valcartier Camp, Quebec.



SHIRING OFF STRATHMORE VOLUNTEERS LAST SATURDAY

Strathmore Sends Volunteers To Front

ELIEVEN HAVE LEFT ALREADY

Strathmore has made an immediate response for volunteers in the service of the Empire. On Saturday five local men, W. G. Koyvett, D. Dempster, S. Williams, G. Greenstreet, J. C. Cockrell, left by the local for Calgary at 9:31. The news that they were going was spread about on Friday night, and consequently a big crowd turned out in the morning and gave them a hearty and enthusiastic send-off. They were driven down to the station in a big covered motor car, and shortly before the train left Strathmore Brass Band motored to the station and played several selections. As the train pulled out of the station the air resounded with the cheers of the assembled crowd. Another party of four men left on Saturday afternoon. These were Stanley A. Wadsworth, J. Wadsworth, J. Wadsworth, and J. Wadsworth. Their leaving was not so well accompanied, but nevertheless a large and enthusiastic crowd gathered to see them off. All the men who left on Friday and Saturday are members of the

Corps of Guides, except G. Greenstreet, who has joined another corps. Our ex-regiment is in the party. H. Stanley, who served eight years in the Royal Garrison Artillery, and was afterwards in the R.N.W.M.F., being formerly in charge of the Strathmore Police Post. With the exception of Stanley and Koyvett, the volunteers have been on the Strathmore headquarters staff of the C.P.R. Irrigation Department, under Mr. Stockton. Their engineering and surveying knowledge will serve them in good stead on the Corps of Guides. Several of them have drilled on Territorial and Cadet forces.

Geo. Stevens, attached to the C.P.R. irrigation telephone staff, who has been lately at Brooks, passed through Strathmore on Monday on his way to the front. On Friday about 200 volunteers all with previous war experience, left for the front from Calgary. They were seen off by a crowd of about 300 people. They all belong to the regiment which is being raised by R. B. Bennett, Federal member of Calgary, and Mr. Gould of Montreal, and which has been named the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry. A considerable contingent came from Edmonton, and included Edmonton Pipe Band.

Another contingent left Calgary on Monday. Within a few days

Canada's first expeditionary force of 25,000 men will be at Valcartier camp near Quebec, from whence they will be shipped to Britain or Belgium.

A number of other Strathmore men have signified their intention of enlisting, and it is expected that Capt. Pugh, of the 103rd Militia Regiment, will be here today, for the purpose of examining and enlisting those who intend to join. As announced in last week's issue, I. Federale and Jules Dianders have left for the front. The latter is a Belgian reservist.

Local Reservists Called Out

Yesterday several British army reservists residing in or near Strathmore received notice to proceed to Calgary, immediately from whence they will be sent to Quebec.

These include Arthur Wilkins, J. Tulin, and H. Stanley. Wilkins, who has completed active service one year ago, held the position of sergeant in the Gloucestershire Guards, and was stationed for a time in India. His parents Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wilkins, reside in Strathmore, and he has been employed with the C.P.R. Irrigation Department. Tulin has up to the present been employed on the Wilkesfarm, under Mr. Kim. Stanley left Strathmore on Sunday as a volunteer, and his mobilization orders will be forwarded to him.

A Large Roll

AUSTRIAN WITH \$440 ARRESTED

On Monday evening Constable Hutchings, R. N. W. M. P., received a phone message from Langdon that a man alleged to have stolen \$350 from another man in Calgary had been seen there, and asking him to come up.

He was preparing to do so, but before going he thought that there was a chance that the man wanted might be going through on the local, and on a search of that train being made at 8:15 p.m. a man answering to the description sent over the phone was found. He was taken off the train and examined by Constable Hutchings and Smith, and he was found to have a roll of bills totalling \$350 in his pocket, and another of \$20.

He gave his name as Uchidior, and described himself as an Austrian. Calgary police were doubtful, when particulars were given over the phone, if this was the man they wanted, but stated that if he had nine gold teeth this was the man wanted. Sure enough, when his mouth was exam-

ined he was found to be possessed of ten. He was taken to Calgary the following morning for trial. Much credit is reflected on Constable Hutchings for his cleverness in being able to pick his man up on a phone description.

Obituary

Best Raymond Jones, Deceased was born at Breth, Colorado, November 2, 1861, and died at his home at Dalroy, August 16, 1914 being 52 years, 9 months, and 14 days old. He died after a lingering illness of one year. He was an affectionate son, and a loving brother, and was of Methodist faith. He was fully prepared to meet his Maker, and leaves to mourn his loss, a Father and Mother, six Brothers and five Sisters.

The funeral took place to Strathmore Cemetery yesterday afternoon. Mr. C. W. Chase was the undertaker.

Work has been commenced on the erection of a church building at Carleton Place, the new town on the Gleichen Shepard line. The building will be a union church, and will cost about \$12,000. The response has been very generous from the people of the district, and also from Strathmore and other points.

THE PRICE OF SUCCESS

Big business is not an accident—it is a result. It is the fruit of purpose, energy, persistency and ADVERTISING.

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There are men to-day very much like Rip Van Winkle—their point of view and their practices are those of a generation past. They do not believe in advertising.

To succeed in these modern days one must be in accord with the spirit of to-day. For a merchant this means that he must advertise, if he would prosper.

A WORD TO THE PUBLIC

Where are you served best and most pleasantly? The answer is almost sure to be "Where we are invited and made welcome. At those shops which prize our custom enough to seek it, and who ask for it every week through the medium of advertisements in the STANDARD."

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PSYCHOLOGY OF HEADGEAR

BY May Winchell



WHEN I read over the title of this article I am tempted to make the same as indicated and suggest a declaration as that made by the countryman who stood watching an unwieldy hippopotamus in the Bronx zoo.

He gazed for a long time, his look of wonder gradually replaced by one of settled incredulity. He pulled his hat down over one eye, elevated his black eyes to an angle of 45 degrees, thrust his hands into his pockets and looked around defiantly at the row of spectators anxiously watching him.

Then he exclaimed with an air of finality, which admitted of no argument, "There ain't no such animal!"

The word "psychology" as applied to

headgear is doubtless like the hippopotamus, nonexistent only to the chaotic mind. By the mind which classified and coherent knowledge requires method would be discarded in the most revolting manner by the military devices of the moment.

Why should we be worn in July and chiton in December? Why do we wish to wear a military confederate tipped up in the back one season and perched upon one ear the next and finally cutting hair and face one day and totally cutting hair and face the day after? Why do we wear hats at all?

Now I have not a map in which covered and classified knowledge requires me in writing to say "I do not know" all of the questions. I will go even

further in self-revelation and confess I have worn the vain and frivolous confederate perched upon one ear, tilted at the back and flaring like a halo; also I have worn the scolding sort which variety is eminently the most becoming, and still I do not know why I have done these things.

But it would be interesting to know what would happen in the industrial world if women should suddenly decide that hats were just as unnecessary a part of their wardrobe as petticoats. For the department of commerce in Washington offered as one explanation for the failure of the H. B. Clinton company that women's present aversion to petticoats had swamped the company with white goods which could not even be given away.

Can you imagine the concentration in financial circles if women determined to do without artificial flowers, ornate feathers, chiffons, silks, and veils for headgear? South Africa would be filled to find another use for her vast outcrops, the artificial flower makers used in the lower end of New York; also in Paris, where the non-French fashions are made. Why there is an end to the distasteful and failures and reverses in which the country would be subjected if by any chance women should whimsically decide to do without hats.

Statistics are never amazing, but right here we may be quoted with some illuminating effect upon this mental question.

The declared invoice figures for the year appearing in the records of the American consulate general at Paris show that American women bought costumes amounting in value to \$1,200,000, while the expenditure for millinery was \$1,200,000. The lingerie bill was \$1,200,000, while another \$1,200,000 was added to the total for purchases of artificial flowers and artificial fruit and flowers.

The French hat not only retains its old time vogue in the United States, but is increasing in popularity. It is apparently in losing favor to some extent in other countries. For 1912 the total value of French millinery exports showed a decline of \$4,000,000 from the exports of 1911. But, while women's millinery wore last buying feverish

with the magic label of Paris nearly passed, American women were expending \$10,000 more on French hats than they did in 1911.

If the French hat did not maintain its general vogue last year in the world at large, other French clothing for millinery continued. The total exports of goods for January and February reached the value of \$1,200,000, which is \$100,000 greater than the figures for the first two months of 1911 and \$1,000,000 in excess of those for 1910.

The lingerie exports for the first two months of this year were \$200,000 greater than for the same two months of last year and \$400,000 larger than the figure for 1911.

The exports of lingerie have increased enormously in two years, a gain of \$1,000,000 being shown over 1911. The figure for 1912 was slightly larger than that for 1911.

The figures for the first two months of this year prove that in everything, but have the French dealers are likely to have a banner twelvemonth. The exports of goods for January and February reached the value of \$1,200,000, which is \$100,000 greater than the figures for the first two months of 1911 and \$1,000,000 in excess of those for 1910.

To Beautify Your Eyes

There can be no doubt that, no matter how pretty a face is, beautiful eyes add beauty to its attraction. Without beautiful eyes no face is perfect, and no plain face is really plain. The first essential toward beautiful eyes is long, fine lashes and well-defined, well-shaped eyebrows. The woman whose eyelids are red must remedy this defect. Eyelids are made red usually from tiny grains of dust which settle under the lids and are rubbed in with the fingers. A slight inflammation sets in and the lashes are apt to fall out. This, of course, destroys their beauty and if remedied soon will probably result in permanent disfigurement. Therefore, remember never to rub the eyes.

The best remedy to take is to bathe the eyes in a little boracic acid. Put a little into a saucer, add a teaspoonful of water, and wash the eyes with it. If you use warm water, let it stand two or three minutes until it cools, then bathe the eyes. If an eye-surgeon is at hand for this operation so much the better.

There is nothing more beneficial for the eyes than brushing them. Get a small eyebrow brush and brush them well but gently several times a day. After washing the face at night and brushing the brows in this way, bathe the eyes with a little vasoline and with small brush apply it to the roots of the hair. This will increase the growth of the brows and make them look elegant. Vasoline can be applied in the same way to the lashes.

PROLONG LIFE OF CUT FLOWERS

Fill life of cut flowers may be prolonged thus:

Put in a lump of bicarbonate of soda to the size of a marble. Fill the vase with water, put it into a vase full of water, fresh, cold water. Now arrange the flowers in it. They will give much better satisfaction than if the soda had been omitted. Change the solution for a fresh one every morning.

Cut flowers will last longer the same action, though not quite as effective. Use one tablespoonful to a large vase, may holding a pint. It is wise to keep cut flowers in as cool a temperature as possible. When changing the water cut a tiny piece from the stems.

THE VALUE OF FISH AS A FOOD

TO a sedentary man or woman, no matter what his or her calling in life is—if such calling permits only a little muscular exercise (as essential to health)—fish furnishes a most suitable food.

Fish contains a moderate amount of flesh-forming material, contains little fat for the digestive organs, and when he said it by a little fat, vegetable and fruit it becomes a most perfect entire food, most nutritious and satisfies every want of the body.

It is perhaps hardly necessary to advert to the popular fallacy that a salt diet contains phosphorus in a special manner to renovate the waste of the brain and so support mental work. There is no foundation for such an ignorant belief. The value of fish as a food is the ordinary, like white meat, lies alone in the fact that it takes less time to digest and does not place so much work on the stomach to bring about complete digestion as red meat does.

Charming Goudoir Cap for the Young Girl



It is in a cap that one can find a quarter of a cupful of lovely chipped, colored hair. This should be put in a saucer with two teaspoonfuls of water, four tiny slugs of soda, a little onion and cracked gentian for one minute.

For the hair should then be sprinkled over the face, and after a few hours it will be a cupful of flavored soap suds.

To this mixture should be added one teaspoonful of green soap, a drop of perfume, two or three drops of rose water, and if desired, a few drops of lavender, chipped hair. When the hair is washed and soaked for two or three minutes immerse it in the mixture for a cupful of lavender. If it is in the mixture, a small piece of hair to the top of the head and back.

Imitation Jewels Fashionable

REVELRY is enjoying tremendous vogue these days, all sorts of beads, rings and brooches, in imitation and real goods, being worn by smart women. Indeed, one does not need to possess an immense fortune nowadays in order to wear jewels, for so many excellent imitations are made that few can tell the difference between the real thing and the fake. In fact, many women who can afford the real thing prefer to wear the imitation, except on special occasions, thus insuring the danger of losing small fortunes should the gem become mislaid.

Following in the trail of the vulgar for years jewelry comes the rage of bead necklaces, all sorts of beads, from colored glass to fairly valuable stones, being brought to service. They are the little accessories of modern dress, adding a brilliant touch of color either in a day or evening costume.

Wear these beads back to wearing of more rings, just as they have returned to the necklace, the brooch and other articles of jewelry out of fashion for a time. The latest ring to meet with the approval of women is the expanding design, with a small watch in the place of the usual gem, the watch being longer than the ring. The watch keeps time the finer the finger it is worn on. The watch is surrounded by diamonds, often with pearls, the hands being of platinum.

PEPPERS WITH HAM

Put in a cup of this sauce for a quarter of a cupful of lovely chipped, colored hair. This should be put in a saucer with two teaspoonfuls of water, four tiny slugs of soda, a little onion and cracked gentian for one minute.

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Pretty Boxes For Baby's Sunday Bonnet

BABY now must have a complete set for her bonnet which rivals in beauty the flaming log box that is sent with mother's hat from the big shop downtown. In the daily interior



of three boxes are made upon which the baby rest and keep their heads and trimmers. A box like one of these put into the care of the little girl herself would have an educational value to her, as it would encourage her to take the very best of care of her little baby bonnet.

If the egg is omitted you will have a mint instead of a chocolate. But there is a difference in the frosting which must be done more gradually, turning the sugar slowly for a few minutes, then rest for five minutes of powdered sugar, and rest until the water is a frozen gray hard. Water is taken from the stove down to the room. When you can turn no longer take the sugar, scrape down the sides of the can and give the mix a thorough beating with the wire whisk, then repeat, cover and set away for three hours to ripen. The mix serves as a night hat in delicious.

USE ARROWS IN YOUR OWN QUIVER

THIS afternoon at a fashionable party, seated at a table in the corner of the room, was a woman of not a day less than forty. With her were a man of middle age, a young girl of twenty and a young man of about twenty-five.

But the facility of middle age trying to pass for youth! The older woman's dress was twenty years too young for her; from the baby doll shoes to the "pet" curls in front of her ears. Her constant glance and kittenish, silly grimaces filled every one around with an almost unexpressed longing to cry out: "Don't go on with it. Give up the pretense and let your years rest gracefully." Can't you see yourself how pitiful it is to think that forced years can compete with the vivacity of youth?

How much younger the woman would have seemed if the perpetual smiling after the vivacity which she longed only to the days of youth were not so obvious! The forced and un-

natural vivacity only emphasized the fact that she had outgrown the amenities of youth. It is no use trying to shine with the weapons of youth where there are other women who have the weapons which are youth.

The woman of forty has an armory of even more potent characteristics at her command if she will only make good use of them. Life has given her knowledge of human nature. It has given her intense experience. Her heart, her sympathy, her power of expression, her views, her understanding, her faculty for drawing out what is best in others are the compensating charms—the vital charm is the character of her life.

COOKING CORNER

Mint Sherbet.
BRUISE in a mortar ten large bunches of mint, add two cups of powdered sugar, beat till it will become a stiff, crisp, smooth mass. Add the juice of one orange, one lemon, and one cup of water. The mix water. Turn freely rapidly and add the mixture to the sherbet.

Baked Fresh Beef.
Wash in cold water four pounds of brisket, put into boiling water and simmer. Add two teaspoonsful of salt, a few whole peppercorns, one sweet onion, one bay leaf, and one cup of water. Simmer for two hours. Slice, pour over just a little of the juice, with parsley and pour sauce over all.

Hershey's Sauce.
Put in a cup of butter and melt. Stir in one cup of brown sugar, one cup of milk, and one-half pint of boiling milk. Simmer for one hour. Add one-half cup of condensed milk, one-half cup of evaporated milk, and one-half cup of cream. Simmer for one hour. Add one-half cup of condensed milk, one-half cup of evaporated milk, and one-half cup of cream. Simmer for one hour.

Cream Cabbage.
Put five cups of cabbage, half a cup of butter and melt. Stir in one cup of brown sugar, one cup of milk, and one-half pint of boiling milk. Simmer for one hour. Add one-half cup of condensed milk, one-half cup of evaporated milk, and one-half cup of cream. Simmer for one hour.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19, 1914.

Skirts For Male Bathers

MAYOR LAMBERT OFFERS
SOME SUGGESTIONS

Last Tuesday's meeting of Strath-
more Town Council was mostly oc-
cupied with public business.

Mayor Lambert suggested that
bylaws be drawn up for the regula-
tion of the park. He suggested
that the bylaws contained a clause
to the effect that all the bathers
wear a regulation bathing costume,
this to be the Mayor's mind, being one
with a skirt effect—padding, hobbles,
slits, or otherwise. The human
form divinity in his opinion is a one-piece
bathing suit. Other members
sought to prove that the one-piece
suit was the costume regularly
worn by male bathers at Banff and
other watering places.

It was finally left to the Police
Committee to draft a series of
bylaws with regard to the park, for
submission to the next Council
meeting.

FLAGPOLE FOR PARK

It was decided to erect the flag-
pole presented to the town some
time ago by Mr. Jack Waddy in the
park. Councillor Berry offered to
donate a flag, and the offer was
gratefully accepted.

THE SPORTS

Mayor Lambert stated that a depu-
tation from the sports committee
approached him and asked for per-
mission to have Railway Avenue
closed for a period of two hours
in order to run off the horse races
there on Wednesday, and also to
declare a public holiday on that
date. Both requests were accorded
aid, and the secretary was instructed
to advertise August 19 as a holiday.

VISIT OF SCANDINAVIAN EDITORS

A letter was read from Mr. Walker,
Commission of Immigration, Win-
nipeg, stating that a party of six
Scandinavian editors would visit
Strathmore on August 21st, and
asking the Council to look after
them while they were in Strath-
more.

It was decided to collaborate
with Mr. Stockton, of the C.P.R.,
in arranging for a program for the
editors while they were in town.
Mr. Walker suggested that an en-
gineer should be made to take the
train meet successful Scandinavian
settlers in this district.

It was agreed, on a request by
Mr. F. H. Tucker, to give the
Sports Committee \$15 to entertain
the children on the day of the sports.

THE TRAIN SERVICE

The matter of the poor train, tele-
graph and postal service was
brought forward, and the Secretary
was instructed to write to the Rail-
way Commission, setting forth the
facts of the case, while Mr. Roland
Hill, postmaster, and Mr. John
McKenzie were appointed a commit-
tee to interview Mr. Davidson, rail-
way mail superintendent at Calgary,
with a view to securing a better
postal service.

Mr. Murphy ("Jany" Cunniff),
President of the Canadian Women's
Press Club, thinking it was for
the publication of the article re
tuberculosis sanatoria in Alberta,
and also states, "I would also like
to say how much I enjoyed the
Standard, and, in particular, your
rigid editorial under the caption
'Armageddon'."

Mail Service May Be Improved

At their meeting on Tuesday
the town council asked Mr. Roland
Hill, postmaster, and Mr. John
McKenzie, to interview Mr. David-
son, railway mail superintendent,
Calgary, and lay the situation,
whereby Strathmore is only getting
one mail a week and one west mail
each day before him.

The delegation went to see Mr.
Davidson on Friday, Councillor
Bremner also being present, and laid
the views of the people of Strath-
more on the matter before him.
Mr. Davidson gave them a very
sympathetic reception, and said that
the request of the delegation, that
the mail be dropped off 13 and 14
at Gleichen, and taken to Strath-
more at 5-51 on the local, was very
easy, and that as the expense
would not be great, he thought
it might be granted, and that he
would send in a report to Ottawa on
the matter.

He also said it might be possible
to arrange that the local lift mail
from Strathmore on the way west,
for Calgary. This would give bet-
ter service to Strathmore than be-
fore as it would enable a letter posted
at Calgary in the morning to be
answered in the afternoon, by special
delivery.

Settlers Coming

One thousand settlers from the
Mississippi Valley and the Middle
Western portion of the United
States are coming to Alberta,
according to Ole Kirkwood, man-
ager of lands sales department
of the National Irrigation Com-
mission at Regina, P. M. at
Calgary. These men will
settle the land of the irrigation
block west of the settlement of
bertha. Mr. Kirkwood expects to
make every one of them a citizen
of the province. Irrigation has
ample demonstrated its value this
year and where it has been used
bumper crops have resulted. The
vanguard of this American inva-
sion will arrive here next week.
It is expected that many of these
newcomers will select land
around Strathmore.

Baseball

LANGDON 15, STRATH-
MORE 11

This was the score in a six-in-
nings game played at Langdon
on Thursday evening.

Langdon was the better team
that darkness set in early. The
reason for the big scoring is not
so obvious as it seems. Langdon
had their usual luck, making
two-thirds of their score in the
last two innings. Up till that
time Strathmore was well ahead.

Chapman pitched the first
three innings for Strathmore,
and when he left the box the
score was 9-3 in favor of Strath-
more. Maxwell and Andy Baxter
pitched the remaining innings.
Max pitched for Langdon.

Score by innings:

Langdon—021 165-13

Strathmore—162 002-11

Teams:

Strathmore—Baxter, H. R. Ander-
son, J. H. Johnson, C. Stuart, B. J.
Chapman, P. F. Anderson, R. J.
Grant, F.

Langdon—Tarrant, H. Lane, B. J.
Myers, C. Besse, B. Webb, C.
Whitford, J. Peterson, S.
Scarboro, R. Moe, P.

EMPLOYERS' V. EMPLOY-
EES

In an eight innings game on
Wednesday afternoon the em-
ployees got the better of the
bosses to the score of 15-7.
Scoring was light in the first
three innings, but afterwards the
stage was revolved and cleared
up the placid scene. Grant
pitched for the employers, and
Lodmell for the employees. E. E.
Zerkle umpired.

Employees—Cole, C. Johnson, B. J.
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Score by innings:

Employees—001 350 43-15

Employers—000 410 2-7

STILL FURTHER REDUCTIONS ON MANY LINES OF LADIES' WEAR

If price reduction is any inducement then our remaining stock of Light Dresses,
Fancy Waists, Stylish Suits, and Coats, etc., will soon be all sold out. We want
these goods out of the way quickly to make room for the new fall goods which are
arriving daily.

IF MONEY SAVING INTERESTS YOU COME IN AND GET OUR PRICES

We have many big bargains in our

SHOE DEPARTMENT

Reg \$3.00 Oxford for \$3.50
" 3.50 " 2.50

And all other Summer Footwear at like
reductions.

FRUITS FOR PRESERVING

At lowest current prices

This week's—Peaches at \$1.20 a case

RIPEN TOMATOES

Are cheap now. Wednesday's price

50¢ a basket

FANCY MALAGA GRAPES 25¢ lb

COOKING APPLES 4 lbs for 25¢

FINEST GROCERIES FRESH EVERY WEEK

GATENBY & FISHER

The store for the best of everything

ITALIAN SPAGHETTI MADE IN CANADA

Now Canadian. Moussieuvre Was De-
clared—"The Virtue of the Made-
in-Canada" Article

According to the "Monetary Times"
of Toronto, British Columbia it ap-
pears that the Canadian manufac-
turers are being to opportunity
to impress on the public the advan-
tages of using home-made products.
The association includes all the main
industries in the province, and
and Vancouver Island, so that the
markets in the coast cities are care-
fully looked after. Foreign products
have been the rule here. A manager
told "The Monetary Times" of so
instance of how people apparently pre-
fer something made elsewhere.

Empty Prairies

A local brand of spaghetti was put on
the market, and ground of their pro-
duct the manufacturers had their
name on the box. A housekeeper was
on the box at her grocery and she tried
it, but reported adversely. Evidently
others did also, proving that a maker
has little honor in his own country,
and even worse reaction in the States.
They are said to reach the coast in
first-class condition for immediate use,
but are valueless for storage as they
soon develop "spots."

The Canadian tariff provides a duty
of five cents per dozen on foreign
eggs, and while this is sufficient
to keep Canadian eggs out of Canada,
it affords a protection to the extent
for the Canadian egg producer. No
one will begrudge the Canadian far-
mer who has his eggs to market, pro-
tection to the extent. In fact the
majority of the Canadian people who
realize that the prosperity of the
country is bound up with the pros-
perity of the farmer, would probably
be glad to increase protection on eggs
in order to ensure the farmer the
home market at steady and profitable
prices.

On one week's time, the inter-
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eggs from such countries as China,
where hygienic conditions are far below
the Anglo-Saxon standards.

It is interesting to note that under
the tariff agreement the duty on eggs
would have been wiped out, which
would mean that Chinese eggs
could be sold in Canada at 11¢ a
dozen instead of 16¢. In view of
this it is hard to see how it can
be successfully maintained that the
policy of protective protection on farm
produce is of no value to the farmer,
in a Canadian farmer. The imported

idea is a distortion, and it is gratifying
to those who believe in the "Made-
in-Canada" product to know that
the consumer who is not prejudiced against
the Canadian-made article cannot understand
the difference between the home and
foreign-made product. This is an in-
direct compliment to the Canadian
manufacturer and the Canadian am-
ple, and should continue the most
valuable article that he should produce
the home product wherever possible. Now
is the time to press this policy if
we wish to restore good times in
Canada.

CHINESE EGGS AGAIN

Big Importations Tend to Lower Price
of American Eggs

"The Canadian Countryman." In a
recent issue, had this to say about the
Chinese egg trade. At the present time
Chinese eggs are reaching the Pacific
coast at 14¢ per dozen. For some time
past they have been sold by the whole-
sale and retail trade in the Western
States labelled "fresh pulled eggs."
This was done because they are
smaller size than the home product.
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Today's Baseball

Neither Langdon or Gleichen
have been able to come to Strath-
more for today's game, and the
Knight of Columbus, one of the best
teams in Calgary, is to provide the
opposition. Strathmore has a good
line up, and the game should be an
interesting one. A purse of \$50 is
offered by the sports committee.
Following is the line-up:
Strathmore—Baxter, H. R. Ander-
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The Harvest

BROKEN WEATHER

There has been a considerable
amount of moisture during the past
week, and it has delayed harvesting
operations to some extent. It has
not been an unusual evil, however,
and some of the farmers, whose
crops are not fully ripened yet, think
that the cooler weather will give
them a bumper harvest.

It is expected that the wheat
crop this year will average from 18
to 20 bushels to the acre in this
district. There are some farmers
who expect their crop to run from
20 to 25 bushels to the acre. As a
general rule, all irrigated and
sunflower land is going to yield
a good return for the extra labor
put on it.

Outs will be a light crop. It is
not expected that the average yield
will be more than forty bushels per
acre.

Barley is short in the stalk usually,
but there will be some good
yields, and a fair average. There
is not much flax in the district, but
Mr. J. A. Cammatt has a fine field
of irrigated flax on his farm.

Only two weeks ago Mr. Jac
Bosman threshed a large field of
flax which was cut in fall, and
had not been able to thresh it
tackle it till lately. It averaged
20 bushels to the acre, and graded
No. 1, so that its long stand in the
open fields is a great asset.

The threshermen are getting it
out together, and it is expected
that the flax will start about the
end of the month.

Potatoes and other root crops
have done well this year.

All For The Sports To-day

Everything All Fixed Up But The Weather

Strathmore's big sports carnival takes place to-day. A public holiday has been proclaimed, and crowds from far and near will take in the excitement.

The weather has been rather dull for the past day or so, but it is hoped that it will hold up to-day. Barring weather, a successful day is assured.

Entrées are already coming in, and great interest is being manifested in the various events.

The fence at the park is not as far advanced as it was hoped it would have been, but the gate will be in position for official opening by Mayor Lambert.

The Lake is well filled, and the various water events are attracting a big number of entries.

Dr Salmon, of Langdon, will it is expected, be the judge in the Baby Competition.

Entries for the various events will be taken by the following: Parade, F. H. Tucker; Footraces, Guy Cole; Horse Races, W. R. Galbraith; Swimming, J. W. Esson; Baby Competition, Dr A. W. Girvin. Other Entries with the Secretary, John Mackenzie.

Following is the programme:

GRAND PARADE, 9:30 a.m., from Town Hall

OFFICIAL OPENING OF PARK, 10 a.m., by Mayor Lambert

10:30 a.m. Winners will receive medals, value \$2 each

10:30 a.m. 220 yd dash, 85 85

100 yd dash, 5 3

Relay race, 4 to team 8

Three-legged race, 100 yds, 5

Obstacle race, 100 yds, 5

Half mile race, 5

Married men's race, 5

60 yds, 5

Entry fee for all above races 5c

Children's Races

1:00 p.m. Horse races, half mile, 1st, 85, 85, 85

1:20 p.m. Pony race, 1/4 mile, 1st, 85, 85, 85

1:40 p.m. Cowley race, half mile, 85, 85, 85

2:00 p.m. Bull team harness race, half mile, 85, 85, 85

2:20 p.m. Free for all running race, half mile, 85, 85, 85

2:40 p.m. Ladies running race, half mile, 85, 85, 85

2:50 p.m. Indian Race, half mile, 85, 85, 85

3:00 p.m. 2nd half harness race, 85, 85, 85

Entrées of runners are required to see that their candidates are ready for their respective races promptly at times advertised. All entrées must be paid in on or before 12 o'clock noon of the day of race to the chairman of the racing committee. Entry fee \$1.00, 85c and 85c

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LOCOMOTIVE INDUSTRY IN UNITED STATES

Serious Depression in This Trade—The Wilson Tariff Blamed For Decline

The Baldwin Locomotive Works in Philadelphia is probably one of the best known industries in the world. Every one will be interested to know, therefore, that the present depression, coupled with the reduction announced in the Wilson Tariff in the United States, has caused a slowing down in these vast works.

Root of the Stagnation
Mr. Samuel D. Vaulain, Vice-President of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, in an address delivered before the Annual Convention of the Master Builders' Association and the Boiler Makers' Association, on May 24th, said that the new and greatly reduced tariff lay at the root of the present stagnation, of business, and it is he carried to its limits, manufacturers of the United States have no alternative but to cut employees' wages and to sink them to the low European levels.

Mr. Vaulain, who has made a special study of labor conditions abroad, said the average weekly wage of boiler makers in France is \$125 while in the Baldwin Works, the weekly average is \$125. The French product is just as well made as the American, he said. His monthly wage, Mr. Vaulain said, the Baldwin works, had \$15.00 men in its payroll. At present, 12,000 of these are looking for jobs.

Working Staff Reduced
A twofold reduction in the working staff of a large plant such as this is well calculated to make all thoughtful men reflect on the wisdom of all tendons in a trade, policy, and which for nearly fifty years has unparalleled record for extension in its demand as well as all other forms of activity has been manifest. Already there are many in the United States who profess a reaction from the low tariff policy of the Wilson regime. It is perhaps unfortunate from the President's election that the reduction in the tariff schedule, which is almost world-wide in the same, has the fact troubles that imports of manufactured goods into United States have greatly increased, and manufacturing has declined accordingly or higher rates.

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Our Fall Suits have arrived price \$20 to \$40
The kind of Clothing that you are proud to wear because the splendid lines of every model suggest the excellence of the tailoring and most fittingly exhibits the season's latest styles.

Still a few Panama Hats
5, 6 and 7 lines selling at \$3.75.

Other Straws, men's and boys' Canvas Hats, etc., all must go at any old price.

See our showing of W. G. & R. Shirts and Collars. The very newest

All this, then, is what you get in our clothes and back of all, stands this firm with its reputation for fair dealing and its absolute guarantee of your money back should you want it.

WRIGHT BROS.

The Woman's Institute met in the Town Hall on Saturday afternoon. The business session was followed by a general discussion of the subject, "The art of cooking," led by Mrs. Schettler. Many interesting and helpful suggestions were given. The next meeting will be held on Sept. 16th.

Canada's Parks

An unusual Government publication has recently been issued by the Dominion Parks Branch of the Department of the Interior. It consists of a small souvenir booklet artistically bound in duplex leather with grass paper and tied with an olive green silk cord. The lettering is embossed in gold and a very unique design has been chosen for the cover. The latter cut out so as to form a sort of frame and in this is inset a spray of Canadian Heather from the Rocky Mountains Park, the purplish flowers of the heather against the wood-brown background making a very attractive colour combination.

It will not doubt be a matter of surprise to many to learn that Canada possesses a wealth of her own. This plant is not, as it has sometimes been called, a "poor relation" of the Scotch heather, but a family connection and standing of its own well recognized by botanists, and is nearly allied to the Heath of the British Isles. The booklet gives an interesting account of the locality from which the heather was gathered, Simpson pass, about thirty miles south of Banff, and of some of the legends and stories connected with the heather in other lands. Its main purpose, however, is to call the attention of Canadians to the National Parks of the Dominion, not only to the attractions they offer to those who are able to visit them, but also to their value in national life. Their commercial potentialities are somewhat startling. It is pointed out that owing to the increasing modern taste for travel, striking scenery has become one of the most valuable factors in the development of Switzerland. The tourist revenue of Switzerland per year is placed at two million dollars, that of France at six millions, that of Italy at over six millions. The annual expenditure of Americans annually spent abroad is estimated at the enormous total of \$1,000,000,000.

It is on other grounds that the commercial, however, that the Parks lay claim to recognition. The Chief of these is an aid to producing efficient citizens. These great natural reserves are reservoirs of vitality otherwise. As an antidote to the life of over-civilization, they offer the opportunity for life in the wilderness and the pleasure of recreation where fresh air, sunshine and beautiful natural scenery are available. The problem of the preservation of the vitality of the race is admitted by all conservationists to-day, to be the first of all conservation problems and the value of parks, playgrounds and recreation in this respect in each year being given a larger place.

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The Paint Contract

A REJOINER

To The Editor, Strathmore Standard

Dear Sir,

As I have been drawn, much against my wish, into the School District paint contract controversy, I wish you to publish the following defence of Mr. Tucker's and my position in this matter.

In the first place, my tender was not "priced up" as Mr. Luck states. The following figures will amply prove this. In January of 1910, the school board paid Mr. S. H. Fifth \$8 for kalsomining one room in their being the lowest received at that time. In September 1911, Messrs Luck and Wood received \$70 for kalsomining two rooms. In the present instance, my tender amounts to about \$20 per room.

Mr. A. S. Shaw, an experienced painter, had no possible way of finding out what other tenderers would ask for their work, was less than ten dollars below me, and as my tender was for the kalsomining, including all patching of plaster etc., our tenders were not far apart.

I have no complaint to make as Mr. Luck cutting his price to nearly half what he bid for the same work before, but I do object to his trying to get advertising at the expense of other tenderers by a deliberate misrepresentation of the facts. Mr. Tucker has had charge of the school books for many years and therefore knows, as do every old member of the board, that at what past price tenders have cost in the past in looking up the dates and figures for this letter may be caught a fleeting glance of a good many "extras" and therefore took the stand that he thought was in the best interests of the ratepayers.

With regard to Mr. Luck's personal insinuations, I do not care to answer them, except to say that I question Mr. Luck's right to judge whether he could make a tender of large contracting business or not. It is impossible to do so with a considerable amount of money pattering around on small jobs like Mr. Luck and I are doing at present.

You Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your

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